

Basic Detail Report

Title Interview with Eunice M. Kelly

Date 2007 June 12

Medium digitized audio cassette tape

Description Audio cassette tape of an interview with Eunice M. Kelly. She was interviewed on June 12, 2007 by Bruce M. Stave and Sondra Astor Stave at her home in Simsbury, Connecticut. Eunice was born in Milford, Massachusetts in 1931. Her family moved to Windsor Locks, Connecticut when she was three years old. She attended St. Mary's School and graduated from Windsor Locks High School in 1948. Both of her parents graduated from college. Eunice began working at G. Fox & Co. after graduating high school. She was hired to work in the Direct Mail Department. Her job was to determine the cost of a newspaper advertisement for each department. She also assisted with the store's newsletter, the Go-Getter. In 1951, she became the editor of the Go-Getter. She discusses the types of stories that were published in the employee newsletter. She then discusses her work training other employees. She interviewed Eleanor Roosevelt for the Go-Getter. She discusses her relationship with Beatrice Fox Auerbach. She discusses the apartment she lived in from 1953-1954 in Hartford. She discusses the Family Circle and food options in and around G. Fox. She directed the plays for G. Fox's Centinel Teen Club. She discusses the elevator operators, who were primarily Black people. She discusses the women employees of G. Fox. She left G. Fox in 1954, to work for the Connecticut Employment Service.

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Dimensions Duration: 1 Hour, 22 Minutes, 56 Seconds